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Spring Price List for 1954

Changes from 1953 List

Not for sale before August: California, Damozel, Elizabeth, Mrs. Jones, Ortencia, Winemaker, Dorothy McDade, Duchess of Windsor, Elfin, Joanna Hutchins, Painted Lady, Patricia, Ruby Supreme.

New Kinds Originated in This Garden:

- Queen Marjorie. 3, EM, Strong contrast bicolor, wide, dark violet-red petals, sepals clear yellow. \$3.00
- Kriemhild. 3, M, large creamy wide-petaled flowers with delicate substance but long-lasting. 5.00
- Aprillet is an older, very early orange yellow, now more abundant.50
- Glowing is one of our first introductions. 2, M, free flowering, metallic yellow, in mass like a spot of sunshine on the garden.50

I can spare two plants of Tetra Starzynski (Traub-USDA) at \$8.00 each. This is what you need for breeding new tetraploids by crossing with other tetraploids, or other novel kinds pollinated by clones of different composition.

Many other things can be seen when visiting this garden. Something is in bloom almost any time. There is a collection of plants blooming outside between December 1 and March 1, the common pansy being one of the best to bloom all winter. Also thousands of Narcissus, primroses, azaleas, crocus, ferns, 20 some genera of amaryllids, besides new amaryllis hybrids blooming inside in winter. We will be glad to have the pleasure of guiding you around. Hardly any of these things are for sale, and the commercial side of growing plants is only incidental here. We do not plan to dig any thing on Sunday, but Sunday p.m. is a good time to see things. Better telephone before coming.

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